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February 2, 2015

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Kurt L. Clink, President  
Truesdell Corporation of California, Inc.  
1310 W. 23rd Street  
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04-4H8504  
04-SM-280,380-Var  
B.O. 1/7/15

Dear Mr. Clink:

Truesdell Corporation of California, Inc. (Truesdell) submitted a bid for contract 04-4H8504 on January 7, 2015. By this letter, the Department of Transportation (Caltrans) notifies Truesdell that its bid is nonresponsive because it failed to properly submit the Subcontractor List.

The Subcontractor List form states in part, "...Complete columns 1 and 4 and submit with the bid. Complete columns 2 and 3 and submit with the bid or fax to (916) 227-6282 within 24 hours after the bid opening. Failure to provide complete information in columns 1 through 4 within the time specified will result in a nonresponsive bid." Truesdell failed to submit the percentage of bid item subcontracted, as required in column 4.

In addition, Truesdell did not comply with Contract Special Provision Section 2-1.15, DISABLED VETERAN BUSINESS ENTERPRISES, which states in part, "...Meet the goal shown on the Notice to Bidders," and further states, "Complete and submit the Certified DVBE Summary form. List all DVBE participation on this form." The DVBE goal on this contract is 5%.


Based on the above action, Caltrans will proceed to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder provided that all requirements are met.

Your attention is directed to Section 3-1.04 of the 2010 Standard Specifications. Caltrans is not obligated to offer an extension of the award period for a nonresponsive bid. Should you wish to extend your bid while resolving a nonresponsive finding, you must send your request to the Office Engineer no later than 4:00 p.m., two business days prior to the expiration of your bid.

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If you have any questions please contact Mulissa Smith, Contract Awards Branch Chief, at (916) 227-6228.

Sincerely,

  
JOHN C. McMILLAN  
Deputy Division Chief  
Office Engineer  
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